

EDUCATIONAL EXAMINERS BOARD[282]

Notice of Intended Action

Twenty-five interested persons, a governmental subdivision, an agency or association of 25 or more persons may demand an oral presentation hereon as provided in Iowa Code section 17A.4(1)“b.”

Notice is also given to the public that the Administrative Rules Review Committee may, on its own motion or on written request by any individual or group, review this proposed action under section 17A.8(6) at a regular or special meeting where the public or interested persons may be heard.

Pursuant to the authority of Iowa Code section 272.2, the Board of Educational Examiners hereby gives Notice of Intended Action to amend Chapter 13, “Issuance of Teacher Licenses and Endorsements,” Chapter 22, “Authorizations,” and Chapter 23, “Behind-the-Wheel Driving Instructor Authorization,” Iowa Administrative Code.

These amendments are proposed to authorize the affected licenses to expire at the end of the holder’s birth month, which aligns with teaching licenses that expire at the end of the birth month. These amendments also clarify the type of credits that are acceptable for renewal of the substitute authorization.

Any interested party or persons may present their views either orally or in writing at the public hearing that will be held Wednesday, April 24, 2013, at 1 p.m. in Room 3 Southwest, Third Floor, Grimes State Office Building, East 14th Street and Grand Avenue, Des Moines, Iowa.

At the hearing, persons will be asked to give their names and addresses for the record and to confine their remarks to the subject of the proposed amendments. Persons who wish to make oral presentations at the public hearing may contact the Executive Director, Board of Educational Examiners, Grimes State Office Building, East 14th Street and Grand Avenue, Des Moines, Iowa 50319-0147, or at (515)281-5849, prior to the date of the public hearing.

Any person who intends to attend the public hearing and requires special accommodations for specific needs, such as a sign language interpreter, should contact the office of the Executive Director at (515)281-5849.

Any interested person may make written comments or suggestions on the proposed amendments before 4 p.m. on Friday, April 26, 2013. Written comments and suggestions should be addressed to Kim Cunningham, Board Secretary, Board of Educational Examiners, at the above address, or sent by e-mail to kim.cunningham@iowa.gov, or by fax to (515)281-7669.

After analysis and review of this rule making, no adverse impact on jobs has been found.

These amendments are intended to implement Iowa Code section 272.7.

The following amendments are proposed.

ITEM 1. Amend subrule 13.9(2) as follows:

13.9(2) Term. The term of the teacher intern license will be one school year ~~from the date of issuance~~. This license is nonrenewable. The fee for the teacher intern license is in 282—Chapter 12.

ITEM 2. Amend subrule 22.1(3) as follows:

22.1(3) Validity. The coaching authorization shall be valid for five years, ~~and it shall expire five years from the date of issuance~~.

ITEM 3. Amend paragraph **22.2(1)“b”** as follows:

b. Validity. The substitute authorization shall be valid for three years, ~~and it shall expire three years from the date of issuance~~.

ITEM 4. Amend subparagraph **22.2(1)“c”(1)** as follows:

(1) Renewal units. Applicants for renewal of the substitute authorization must provide verification of a minimum of two semester hours of renewal ~~units equivalent to 30 clock hours~~ credits.

ITEM 5. Amend rule 282—23.2(272,321) as follows:

282—23.2(272,321) Validity. ~~All fees are nonrefundable as set out in 282—Chapter 12.~~ The behind-the-wheel driving instructor authorization shall be valid for one calendar year, ~~and it shall expire one year after issue date.~~ The behind-the-wheel driving instructor authorization shall be valid only if the holder continues to be qualified under 282—subrule 23.1(1).